

Remarks

This application has been reviewed in light of the final Office Action. Claims 1-17 are pending. Claims 10-17 are allowed, claims 4 and 7 are objected to, and claims 1-3, 5, 6, 8, and 9 are rejected.

In response, the claims are amended responsive to the indication of allowable subject matter with the objective of placing the application in condition for allowance.

Claim 1 is amended to incorporate the limitations of claim 4, and claim 4 is canceled; and claim 5 is amended to incorporate the limitations of objected-to claim 7, and claim 7 is canceled. Accordingly, claims 1-3, 5-6, and 8-17 are believed to be in condition for allowance.

Claims 1-3, 5, 6, 8, 9, and 16 are rejected under 35 USC 103 over Scott US Patent 6,240,909. Applicant traverses this ground of rejection.

Applicant traverses this ground of rejection, but has amended the claims to advance prosecution in a manner to obviate this ground of rejection.

Applicant asks that the Examiner withdraw the rejection and allow the application.

Respectfully submitted,

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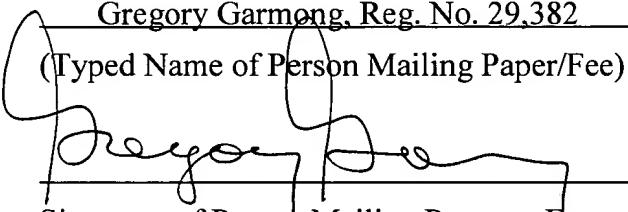
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